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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 26, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 26, 2001,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows.

No additional claim fee is due in connection with the  
filing of the present amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Delete the replacement section entitled "CROSS-REFERENCE  
TO RELATED APPLICATION" which was added to page 1 before line  
1 as requested in the amendment of October 22, 2001, and  
replace it with the following replacement section:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a continuation of application  
Serial No. 08/844,431 filed on April 18, 1997, now U.S. Patent